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PSC to Hold Public Hearings on Proposed Transmission Line in Sheboygan County

Public encouraged to provide comments

MADISON – The Public Service Commission of Wisconsin (PSC) will hold public hearings in Plymouth on Wednesday, August 16 regarding American Transmission Company's (ATC) application to construct a transmission line in Sheboygan County.

Citizens are invited to provide testimony on ATC's request to construct approximately two miles of a 138-kilovolt power line to connect its system to a proposed substation near the Johnsonville Sausage Company. Plymouth Utilities has asked the PSC for permission to build a substation near the Johnsonville plant in a separate case before the Commission. A decision on that case is expected before the Commission will make a decision on ATC's proposed transmission line. The total estimated cost of the transmission project is approximately \$2.5 to \$3 million.

Public comments on ATC's application will be included in the record the Commission will review to make a decision. The Commission has the authority to approve, modify or deny the application. Citizens are encouraged to attend the hearings, which are scheduled for:

Wednesday, August 16, 2006 1:00 p.m. and 6:00 p.m. City Hall – Assembly Hall Room 128 Smith Street Plymouth, WI

If you cannot attend the public meetings, but would like to provide comments, you can do so on the PSC's website at http://psc.wi.gov/ through August 16. Click on the Public Comments button and click on the case title. The hearing locations are accessible to people in wheelchairs. Any person who needs additional accommodations to participate should contact Docket Coordinator, Udaivir Singh Sirohi at 608-266-2806.

Documents associated with ATC's applications can be viewed on our Electronic Regulatory Filing System at http://psc.wi.gov/. Type case numbers 137-CE-143 in the boxes provided on the PSC homepage, or click on the Electronic Regulatory Filing System button.

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